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SUBJECT:

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Dear Mr. Kennedy:





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Regarding your January 25, 2001, FYI submission on ammonium perfluorooctanoate, please explain your rationale for reporting the results in this submission, as well as in your earlier submission of June 23, 2000, as voluntary FYI submissions rather than under TSCA Section 8(e). In particular, the results of the human blood serum tests for ammonium perfluorooctane, in combination with possible human health hazard concerns, indicate that these results should have been considered for reporting under the Section 8(e) requirements of TSCA.

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